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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

PETER G. KLIMKO, MARK R. HELLBERG and PAUL W. ZINKE,

Junior Party, (Application 09/284,432),

v.

EIICHI SHIRASAWA,

MASAAKI KAGEYAMA, NOBUAKI MORI,

KAZUHISA SAKATA, TAKASHI NAKANO,

YASUSHI MATSUMURA, and YOSHITOMI MORIZAWA

Senior Party, (Application 09/147,837).

Patent Interference No. 104,705

Before SCHAFER, SPIEGEL, and LANE, <u>Administrative Patent</u> <u>Judges</u>.

LANE, Administrative Patent Judge.

JUDGMENT PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.662

Shirasawa has filed a paper requesting adverse judgment under 37 CFR § 1.662 (Paper 29).

Upon consideration of the record of the interference, it is ORDERED that judgment as to Count 1 and Count 2, the

only counts in the interference, is awarded against senior party EIICHI SHIRASAWA, MASAAKI KAGEYAMA, NOBUAKI MORI, KAZUHISA SAKATA, TAKASHI NAKANO, YASUSHI MATSUMURA, and YOSHITOMI MORIZAWA;

FURTHER ORDERED that senior party, EIICHI SHIRASAWA, MASAAKI KAGEYAMA, NOBUAKI MORI, KAZUHISA SAKATA, TAKASHI NAKANO, YASUSHI MATSUMURA, and YOSHITOMI MORIZAWA, is not entitled to a patent containing claims 11-20 and 24-33 of application 09/147,837, which correspond to Count 1;

FURTHER ORDERED that senior party, EIICHI SHIRASAWA, MASAAKI KAGEYAMA, NOBUAKI MORI, KAZUHISA SAKATA, TAKASHI NAKANO, YASUSHI MATSUMURA, and YOSHITOMI MORIZAWA, is not entitled to a patent containing claims 21-23 of application 09/147,837, which correspond to Count 2; and

FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this decision be given a paper number and be entered in the administrative records of Klimko's 09/284,432 application and Shirasawa's 09/147,837 application.

SALLY GARDNER LANE)
Administrative Patent Judge)

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